

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of	)	
KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company	)	Case No. HT-2011-0343
Application for Authority to File Tariffs	)	
Changing the Steam QCA for Service	)	Tariff No. YH-2012-0339
Provided to Customers in its Service Territory	)	

## ORDER APPROVING QUARTERLY COST ADJUSTMENT TARIFF

Issue Date: February 8, 2012

Effective Date: March 1, 2012<sup>1</sup>

The Missouri Public Service Commission is approving the pending tariff sheet (“tariff”), which sets forth the quarterly cost adjustment (“QCA”) in the fourth quarter of 2011 for KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company (“GMO”).

On January 13, 2012, GMO filed the tariff. On February 8, 2012, Staff filed its recommendation, stating that the tariff meets the requirements of GMO’s QCA Rider. Staff recommends that the Commission approve the proposed tariff or allow it to become effective by operation of law. The Commission received no other response to the tariff.<sup>2</sup> No law requires a hearing to approve the unopposed tariff, so the Commission will determine all issues as a non-contested case, based on the verified pleadings<sup>3</sup> and without separately stating its findings of fact.

The Commission independently finds and concludes that the tariff complies with the QCA Rider, and will support just and reasonable rates, so the Commission will approve the tariff.

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<sup>1</sup> Tariff No. YH-2012-0339 bears a proposed effective date of March 1, 2012. That constitutes good cause for this decision to be effective less than 30 days from issuance. Section 386.490.2, S.B. 48, 96<sup>th</sup> Gen. Assem., 2<sup>nd</sup> Reg. Sess.

<sup>2</sup> The Office of the Public Counsel, a party to this action under 4 CSR 240-2.010(11), has elected to enter no appearance.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. Tariff No. YH-2012-0339 is approved to become effective on March 1, 2012.
2. The tariff sheet approved is:

**P.S.C. MO. No. 1**

**11<sup>th</sup> Revised Sheet No. 6.10, Canceling 10<sup>th</sup> Revised Sheet No. 6.10**

3. This order shall become effective on March 1, 2012.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



Steven C. Reed  
Secretary

( S E A L )

Jordan, Senior Regulatory Law Judge,  
by delegation of authority pursuant  
to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 8<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2012.

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<sup>3</sup> *State ex rel. Rex Deffenderfer Ent., Inc. v. Public Serv. Comm'n*, 776 S.W.2d 494, 496 (Mo. App., W.D. 1989).